

# Swaffham: Hospice appeals for volunteers

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AN appeal has been made for new volunteers to join the fundraising effort for Swaffham and Litcham Home Hospice Support.

The appeal comes after more than 13,000 was donated to the hospice following a number of events over the Christmas period and organisers need further help if the success is to continue this year.

The money was raised through a variety of events which included an evening of entertainment at Cockley Cley Hall and a Christmas draw.

Fundraising chairman Adrian Adcock said: "We would like to see if there is anyone out there who would like to join us.

"We have a year-long campaign to raise money, but it is a fairly small band of fundraisers on the committee."

The hospice offers help to around 90 families in the Swaffham area every year with carers visiting patients at home, helping with jobs such as shopping and fetching prescriptions and sitting with patients to give their families a much-needed break.

The fundraising committee usually meets on alternate months, but further meetings may be needed in the build-up to major events.

Anyone interested in joining the committee should call Mr Adcock on 01760 724304.